



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant

Ryan

Serial No.

10/812,826

Title

System and Method for Detecting the Insertion or Removal of a

Hearing Instrument from the Ear Canal

Filed

March 30, 2004

Group Art Unit

2643

Examiner

Unknown

Attorney Docket No. :

764164605068(002)

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please advise as to the status of this application and provide an estimated date for examination.

Respectfully submitted,

Paul E. Franz, Reg. No. 45,910

Jones Day North Point

901 Lakeside Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44114

216/586-3939

Date: October 3, 2005.

Certificate of Mailing

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited today with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

1. Vanne Liston

_/Suzanne Koston